

ABSTRACT

A clamping spring device for an elastic clamp for attaching at least one electrical conductor includes a support and a clamping leg at an end of a spring leg. The support includes a freestanding edge. The clamping leg projects toward the support at an acute angle so as to form a receiving space between the clamping leg and the support. The receiving space narrows in a conductor insertion direction from a conductor insertion side toward a clamping point and is configured to receive the at least one electrical conductor inserted in a lengthwise direction. The clamping leg includes a clamping edge for clamping the electrical conductor between the clamping edge and the support at the clamping point. In the clamping position, the clamping leg is offset from the freestanding edge so that, when clamped, the at least one electrical conductor is bent around the freestanding edge, providing an interlocking effect.